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TAGS: SHUM, SF
SUBJECT: DETAINEE COMMISSIONER FINDS NO IRREGULARITIES

1. MR. W. M. VAN DEN BERG, ONE OF THE TWO COMMISSIONERS
APPOINTED BY MINISTER OF JUSTICE KRUGER TO REPORT ON TREATMENT
OF SECTION 6 DETAINEES, TALKED TO NEWSMEN IN CAPE TOWN YESTERDAY.
HE IS REPORTED STATING THAT, IN THE THREE MONTHS SINCE HIS
APPOINTMENT, HE HAS FOUND NOTHING "IRREGULAR" IN THE TREATMENT
OF DETAINEES HE HAS VISITED IN THE AREA OF HIS MANDATE
(CAPE PROVINCE AND NATAL).

2. VAN DEN BERG FURTHER STATED THAT HE HAS NOW VISITED ALL
DETAINEES MOST OF THEM MORE THAN ONCE, IN HIS AREAS OF
JURISDICTION. EACH WAS VISITED INDIVIDUALLY, WITH NO ONE
ELSE PRESENT, AND HE HAD HAD DISCUSSIONS OF UP TO AN HOUR OR
MORE WITH MANY OF THE DETAINEES.
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